

## GUN PLAY HALTS FOOTBALL GAME

**Luck's Dash to Goal  
Broken by Officer,  
Who Had to Shoot.**

## WANTED PLAYER FOR ROBBERY

**Constable Jumps In With  
Warrant at Critical Stage, When  
Armed Squad in Uniform In-  
terfered, Drawing Revolver—  
"Hunk" Gregory's  
Work the Feature.**

JUST as he was preparing to buck the line in the game yesterday afternoon between the team of Chestnut Hill and the Monroes, Bernard Luck, a sixteen-year-old boy, was placed under arrest by Constable R. D. Haller, of Chestnut Hill, on a charge of attempted housebreaking. The game was at a critical stage, and his arrest caused a great deal of excitement. Luck, who played left tackle, had forgotten the alleged crime and the fact that he was a fugitive from justice, and all his thought was bent on advancing the pigskin five yards nearer to the enemy's goal.

It was when he was about to make the heavy hand of the law was laid on his shoulders, and his ten teammates became so excited that one of them drew a gun, and all crowded round, saying: "Let's take him away. We can lick the constable."

It is not unusual for football players to have guns, but this boy not only had one on his hip, but drew it in defiance of Constable Haller, and it was said that three others were also armed.

Fired Over His Head. "Hunk" Gregory, who happened to be watching the game, knocked the threatening boy down before he could pull the trigger. The constable turned Luck over to Captain E. G. Quarles, and made for the player who had threatened his life. The latter had risen by this time, and he played the game to the end, but he was further, or he would kill him. Officer Haller drew his revolver and fired over the boy's head, and the latter took to him to halt, but he ran the faster, and escaped.

With one player under arrest and another off somewhere in the country attempting a touchdown for liberty, the game was called off, and the Chestnut Hill eleven left the field sadly chagrined, for they had hoped to swamp the Monroes behind an appalling score.

It is the first time on record that football has attained such a height of roughness that one side deemed it necessary to go on the field armed with six-shooters.

**Why He Was Wanted.** The alleged attempted housebreaking occurred on Wednesday during fall week. It is said that the boy cut the screen off of the doors, and then cut the screen from a window. He was discovered before he could make an entrance, and ran. Constable Haller had been looking for him ever since. His chance came yesterday afternoon, when he heard that the boy he wanted was playing football at Chestnut Hill and the Monroes. Luck was playing tackle, but the interference of the law effectively put a stop to his attempt to plunge through the line for a long gain.

Luck's uncle was apprised of the boy's arrest, and stated that he was glad he was caught, as he intended making him enlist in the navy.

## M'HARG RETIRES

**Leaves Department of Commerce and Labor to Practice Law.**  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
WASHINGTON, D. C., October 30.—Ormsby M'Harg, Assistant Secretary of Commerce and Labor, retired to-day from that office to begin the practice of law in New York and Washington. Mr. M'Harg will be associated with the law firm of Noble, Jackson and Hubbard, of New York.

Mr. M'Harg was appointed Assistant Secretary of Commerce and Labor on March 25, succeeding William R. Wheeler, of California, who retired to enter business in San Francisco. Mr. M'Harg was one of Postmaster-General Hitchcock's active lieutenants in the pre-convention Taft campaign for the Republican nomination, and was the legal counsel for the campaign, being known to be for Mr. Taft. He is credited with being Mr. Hitchcock's ablest assistant in the operation of steam-roller methods in dealing with the candidates of other aspirants for the nomination. After the campaign he was appointed Assistant Secretary of Commerce and Labor, with the express understanding, upon which he insisted, that he was to retire on October 1. Mr. M'Harg came into much prominence in September, while the Ballinger-Pinchot controversy over the conservation of the natural resources of the country was full blast, and he was interviewed by the newspaper press, and he was warmly advocated the Ballinger end of the controversy, which was alleged to be anti-Pinchot, and therefore anti-Roosevelt.

## CUTS HIS OWN THROAT

**Passenger on Steamer Involuntarily Commits Suicide.**  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
NEW YORK, October 30.—When the New York line steamer Involuntarily was off Atlantic City late this afternoon, bound for New York from Jacksonville, via Charleston, a passenger committed suicide by leaping overboard. The body of Emanuel Gonzales, one of the passengers, was seen floating in the water at noon yesterday.

Gonzales, who was from Tampa, where he is said to have left a wife and child, had kept to himself pretty much during the trip northward. Occasionally he forgot his moodiness long enough to tell a few of the passengers that he was bound for New York to look for work as a cigar-maker. He did not turn out much to-day, and a steward went to his berth to see what was the matter. The steward found Gonzales lying on his berth with a knife in his throat, and he was dead when found.

## CAMPAIGN NEARLY OVER

**Tammany Expects Its Candidate, Gayer, to Slide Through.**

NEW YORK, October 30.—It's about over. Otto T. Bannard, the Fusion candidate for Mayor, had a list of five meetings to-night with the chief one at Cooper Union, Tammany was to have wound up the campaign with a big meeting at Madison Square Garden to-night, but that was called off by Judge Gayer yesterday, since the crowds have not been sufficient to warrant a meeting in a large place. Mr. Hearst, however, still has a Madison Square Garden meeting on for tomorrow night.

The Bannard meeting at the Cooper Union and the Camp Bannard in Harlem to-night were the biggest meetings of the campaign. The Fusion candidate for Mayor, Judge Gayer, is expected to win. The Fusion candidate for Mayor, Judge Gayer, is expected to win. The Fusion candidate for Mayor, Judge Gayer, is expected to win.

Brooklyn, which has been considered as the pivot of the campaign, is the pivotal borough, will be close, if the prophets are correct in their hope. The consensus of opinion seems to be that Gayer, himself a Brooklyn man, will carry the borough by a small margin. The Fusion leaders, however, are confident that the margin will be across the river will be in Bannard's favor.

That Tammany itself expects its weak ticket to be badly knifed is shown by an advertisement printed in this afternoon's papers with the heading, "Judge Gayer to the Voters of New York." The advertisement is signed by Mr. Gayer and asks voters to bear in mind the "absolute necessity for voting for my two associates on the city ticket, Mr. Moore for Comptroller, and Mr. Gayer for President of the Board of Aldermen."

## "UNCLE JOE'S" DEFINITION

**In Picturesque Setting, He Calls At-  
tacks "Tommy Rot."**

NEW ORLEANS, La., October 30.—Speaker Cannon uttered defiance to his enemies, the insurgents, to-night, and declared that the recent attacks upon him were "peanut politics" and "Tommy rot."

The setting for the Speaker's gladiatorial utterances were pictorial. He stood on the stage of the Athenaeum where President Taft stood previously to play the game with the Chestnut Hill eleven. The Speaker, who was surrounded by a gaggle of reporters, was in a pugilistic ring, set up for the use of a pair of boxers who were to entertain the crowd a little later.

In the wings near by, in abbreviated skirts, sat three or four dancers, who were also to take part in the program. The occasion was a smoker arranged by the business men of New Orleans for the amusement of the Senators, Congressmen, Governors and other distinguished visitors to the Waterways Convention. Just before the Speaker's response to the "uncle" of "Cannon," he was handed a gavel as large as a croquet mallet and a cigar that looked like a fence rail.

"This," he began, swinging the great gavel over his head, "might be called a setting maul if it were in the hands of a blacksmith, and it would represent the authority of the majority. The authority of the House of Representatives, of your City Council, Mr. Mayor (addressing his remark to Mayor Behrman), or of whichever deliberative body you will. The majority is the law, and it is the duty of the majority to represent the will of the majority. His name is Demas."

## HAMMERSTEIN SATISFIED

**He Has Lost Only \$50,000 on His Popu-  
lar-Priced Season.**  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
NEW YORK, October 30.—Otto Hammerstein finished to-night at the Manhattan Opera House his first "educational" or popular-priced season.

There was a large audience, and Mr. Hammerstein was called on for a speech after the third act from "Il Trovatore," in which he emphasized his determination to continue in the line of his educational endeavor.

"I like to hear myself talk," he said, when the audience had insisted on his appearance, "although I must say that I sometimes have occasion to regret it. I have been called on for a speech after the third act from 'Il Trovatore,' in which he emphasized his determination to continue in the line of his educational endeavor."

## PUPILS RECOVERING

**Their Illness Alleged to Be Due to  
Eating Impure Meats.**  
ATLANTA, Ga., October 30.—It was stated to-day that of the forty pupils at the Georgia Military Academy at East Point, eight miles from Atlanta, who were stricken with typhoid fever, more than half are now on the road to recovery. The others also are said to be improving.

Representatives of the La Grange Female College, at La Grange, Ga., to-day refused to give out a statement relative to conditions there, which are said to be similar to those at East Point School. The young women who have been ill, however, are reported to be rapidly recovering.

While the investigations have not been concluded, the sickness at both schools is declared to be due to eating impure meats.

**Motorman Injured.**  
TAMPA, Fla., October 30.—As a result of the sickness at both schools, a fire engine, J. A. Walcott, a street car motorman, lies seriously hurt in a hospital, his body being temporarily paralyzed.

## MEANING OF VISIT IS NOW MADE PLAIN

**World Understands  
Why Czar Nicholas  
Went to Italy.**

## COUNTRY JOINS TRIPLE ENTENTE

**Great Britain, France, Russia and  
Italy Now Associated in Pol-  
icy and Aims as Regards  
European Situation—Ger-  
many Repents High-  
Handed Actions.**

[Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.]  
LONDON, October 30.—The full meaning and effect of the Czar's visit to Italy are now clearly understood in the diplomatic world. The meeting of the Czar and Victor Emmanuel was, as already explained in these dispatches, the direct result of the ultimatum sent to Russia by Germany last March, which compelled the Czar to accept Austria's violation of the Berlin treaty in annexation of Bosnia and Herzegovina. This was made clear by the Czar's ostentatious avoidance of Austrian territory on his journey to and from Italy.

It was feared both at Vienna and Berlin that the result of his visit might be the early withdrawal of Italy from the triple entente, and the consequent opposition to Austria's Balkan policy. This fear was altogether unfounded. On the contrary, no such move has been at any time contemplated. Russia neither suggested nor desired it. Both Britain and France are in entire accord with her in this regard. It is true, however, that as a result of the Czar's visit Italy has joined the triple entente and associated herself with the policy and aims of Great Britain, Russia and France in all important features of the European situation.

The apparent inconsistency of this action does not in fact exist. It is well understood that Italy's obligations of military co-operation under the terms of the triple alliance arise only in case one or both of her allies are attacked by Russia and France, and that Italy is in no way bound to co-operate in any combative or provocative policy. It is an emphatic guarantee of the pacific intentions of the triple entente that its members seek the adherence of Italy as a fourth member of the league of peace, while at the same time they do not wish to be bound to co-operate in any combative or provocative policy. Moreover, neither Germany nor Austria can raise any objection to their ally's new allegiance without admitting that their own designs include aggression in one direction or another. Emperor William and King Francis have no objection to Italy's value as an ally has been reduced almost to the vanishing point for practical purposes by her action this week, but she retains her voice in the triple alliance, and her influence, so far as it goes, will be exerted in the direction of peace.

The first effect of the creation of a new quadruple entente is to be seen in the developments of the situation in Southeastern Europe. Italy is in complete accord with the other three powers in the general policy as to this country. She will not only oppose any move toward further aggression by Austria or any efforts to alter the status quo.

The present serious crisis in Greece threatens to call out the first united action by the quadruple alliance, and there are some who fear that Germany and Austria may seek to use the occasion for indirect evidence of their resentments against Italy in this connection. Incidentally it may safely be asserted that the German government already secretly repents its high-handed treatment of Russia last March.

## PROOF CONCLUSIVE

**Bust Purchased for Fortune Is of Very  
Ancient Modern Origin.**  
[Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.]  
LONDON, October 30.—Cumulative and convincing evidence has been furnished to-day by the modern English origin of the now famous "Vinchi" bust purchased by Dr. Bode for \$40,000 from the National Museum at Berlin. Mr. Lucas, son of the maker of the bust, has issued a statement describing in detail his father's work upon the bust, which is a copy of the original in the Kaiser Friedrich Museum, though not a good copy. Indeed, the other works of the sculptor shown in the Illustrated News go to show that he was not gifted beyond the average sculptors of his time.

The picture which serves him for a model does not come into consideration with regard to the bust as a glance at the difference in the posture of the arms proves.

The post-office report shows that the picture post card craze is rapidly declining. Fewer telegrams are sent, fewer letters are written, and the telephone. Over \$4,000,000 was found in letters that were not delivered because they were wrongly addressed.

The Anti-Socialist Union has already received 50,000 shillings in response to its call for 1,000,000 shillings to "train working men to combat socialism." Classes for speaking are held by the union three times a week, and have been attended by 84 men and eighty women. They learn to secure on the fallacies of socialism. On certain days the pupils are told to heckle the appointed speaker, who must show capacity in answering the hecklers' questions and to continue the lecture despite disorder. The course lasts three months. Then the speakers are sent all over the country.

It has been decided to discontinue reading aloud to men paupers in the London workhouses, as it has been discovered that it breeds them exceedingly. The most thrilling romances, the most baffling tales of the adventures of detectives, are read to the men.

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## EXPOSE IS PROMISED

**Congress Will Be Asked to Probe Cust-  
omer Service Graft.**

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
NEW YORK, October 30.—Congress will be asked at the next session to investigate the rottenness of the customer service in New York. Senator Jonathan P. Dolliver is taking a very direct interest in the graft ring exposure. The Senator's friends in this city heard to-day that he intends to introduce a resolution when Congress assembled next month providing for the appointment of a committee to make the service from top to bottom. The news got here to-day that Collector Loeb's friends in Washington are looking for something in the way of a request for Congress to take of the customs house cleaning, and they are getting ready to block it if they can.

"But they will have to go some to do it," said a friend of the Senator to-day. "He is keenly interested in the workings of the new tariff law at this port, and he doesn't believe in anyway, since he has been the leader of the insurgents. He has been reliably informed, moreover, that the published story of organized and systematic grafting in the customs house has the substance of the resolution pretty well worked out in his mind. I understand."

"It will ask for a commission to examine into the workings of the new tariff. It will demand that the commission be given the same immunity William Loeb, Jr., promised the thieves as a reward for their testimony against importers. It will ask that the commission find out how many confessed grafters Collector Loeb is keeping on the treasury pay roll. It will request that Congress give the commission power to reveal the whole mess."

## Other Signs.

There were other signs flashing up here to-day which showed that Collector Loeb's method of graft hunting may be presented to President Taft and that the grafting community is getting nervous. The Attorney General of the United States, Mr. Wickersham, has been in this city doing what he could to help Otto T. Bannard win out in his mayoralty fight.

A federal official, who is strongly opposed to the practice of forcing honest customs men to work elbow to elbow with admitted thieves, had a talk with Mr. Wickersham. Mr. Wickersham had heard all about Mr. Loeb's "protection" policy. He was astonished and disgusted, he said, and said so in no uncertain terms.

It is pointed out also that the present controller of the currency, Robert J. Tracewell, has interested himself in the customs house problem, as far as the collector's friendliness to thieves is concerned.

Mr. Tracewell's position in the treasury is unique. On certain conditions he cannot be overruled by the President himself. Mr. Tracewell has the final say as to whether certain customs duties should be waived or not. He is familiar with his policy said that he did not believe Mr. Tracewell would consent to the payment of the grafters that Mr. Loeb has kept in office.

## RECOGNITION DENIED

**Rebels Must Make Better Showing Be-  
fore U. S. Is Granted.**  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
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## MILITARY PAGEANT, BUT NO PRESIDENT

**Taft Cuts Parade Fea-  
ture in Favor of  
Lunch.**

## HIS SCHEDULES BADLY MIXED UP

**Crowd Spends Its Time Guessing  
Which of Silk-Hatted Digni-  
taries Is Nation's Chief,  
While Latter Is Calmly  
Dining in Archbishop's  
Palace.**

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
NEW ORLEANS, La., October 30.—New Orleans was to-day added to the list of Mississippi River cities that have had their Taft celebrations spoiled through the blunders of the St. Louis Business Men's League in arranging the running schedule of the Deep Waterways fleet. The President reached New Orleans five hours late and was obliged to cut from his program the big military parade for which New Orleans had been preparing for weeks. More than 300,000 persons, many from neighboring towns and cities, were disappointed. A score of military companies, including regular troops, militia and the jacksies from three warships that had come to swell the presidential welcome, were drawn up at the levee ready to fall in behind Mr. Taft's carriage as soon as he landed. Five hundred carriages and 25 Governors, the 17 Congressmen and the other distinguished visitors also were in line at the steamboat landing, and of brass bands there seemed to be no end.

The New Orleans reception committee knew nothing of the President's decision to omit the parade until he had landed. It was then 11 o'clock, considerably past the time that had been set for a presidential luncheon at Archbishop Benke's palace. The President decided that he could not cut the luncheon engagement and order the reception committee to drive him at once to the palace. The Governors and Congressmen were still straggling down the Mississippi, and if Mr. Taft would have been waiting for them it would have been the parade moved off.

**Parade But No President.**  
The streets were packed and only a few of them recognized the President as he was driven unescorted to the hotel. Later, the parade moved off without the President, and the crowd spent its time in guessing which of the silk-hatted Congressmen in the line was Taft.

There was also a mix-up here over the President's attendance at a football game. The University of Louisiana was playing the University of the South in one part of the game, and the Tulane University was lined up against the University of Mississippi on another field. All four teams had been after the President for a month. The President had reserved the game for both, and he had advertised that Taft would be present. Just before landing Mr. Taft decided to take in the game between Louisiana and the University of the South.

The secret service men who had been on duty for the President in advance had said, on the other hand, that he should not attend either game because it was not safe. They apparently had taken this way of getting out of an embarrassing mix-up, but the President, when somebody asked him what he had to feel about a college football game, said, "Fshaw! I don't care. The secret service decision overboard."

Mr. Taft was hardly in his room at the hotel when he was rushed by a delegation of football players from Tulane. It would be a rank shame, they said, if the President saw the other game and not theirs. Besides, they had sold 10,000 tickets on the report that he would be on the field. The President could not stand up against the game any longer, and he smilingly assured Tulane that he would watch them play too. He went to the Louisiana game first and won, and then just in time to see Sewanee score a touchdown. The President's automobile was driven in on the sidelines. He remained there only five minutes.

At Tulane the President's machine also was driven right out on the field. The President was at this game also just long enough to allow the management to make good with the crowd. **Booster Disappointed.**  
The President's speech before the Deep Waterways Convention, which really was the purpose of his trip down the Mississippi, was disappointing to the waterways boosters. The President gave them no definite promise of Mississippi improvements. His speech in New Orleans was in fact less enthusiastic than the one he delivered in St. Louis before starting down the river. Certainly the cruise had not convinced him that it is practicable to dump \$200,000,000 into the Mississippi. In starting his speech at the Waterways Convention, the President said: "I am delighted. He could get no further. The crowd was roaring with laughter. 'You see,' he said, 'we adopt in our arrangement the Roosevelt policies in full. We have passed through all the dangers of the navigation of the river.' The President continued, 'and they were not confined to the shoals, banks and the bends, and we are without the loss of a single man. There are some few who have braved the entire trip by water, and I hesitate to speak of those who have resorted to the humiliating device of taking land to complete the run. When Uncle Joe Cannon addresses your honorable body don't ask him where he left the river and when he got back to it.'"

The President was referring, of course, to the experience of the Congressmen and Governors, who were obliged to leave their boats and charter a special train in order to get into Vicksburg on time.

"I don't think," said the President, "that we are going to cover the bosom of the Mississippi with barges and ocean steamers to-morrow morning."

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## DUTIES VERY HEAVY

**Ships Hurrying Over to Get Cargoes  
in Under Old Dates.**

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
NEW YORK, October 30.—The customs houses took in, in the six days ending to-day, from champagne and other wines about \$2,400,000, an increase of \$2,167,000, which was an increase of about 10 per cent. over the normal receipts. The total receipts for the week were \$14,000,000, an increase of about 10 per cent. over the normal receipts. The total receipts for the week were \$14,000,000, an increase of about 10 per cent. over the normal receipts.

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For the first time, the customs house was open on Sunday until midnight. About 100 employees will be on duty in four divisions—the marine, port, warehouse and cashier divisions. The cashier division will be on duty in the morning, and the marine division will be on duty in the afternoon. The employees had practically nothing to do.

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## GLASS DENOUNCES KENT'S STATEMENT

**Declares It Ill-Contrived  
Falseness From Start  
to Finish.**

## HAS DOCUMENTS TO PROVE CASE

**Congressman Comes Out in  
Scathing Reply to Attempted  
Denial of Republican Can-  
didate for Governor, Giving  
Details of Alleged Il-  
legal Transaction.**

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
LYNCHBURG, Va., October 30.—Representative Carter Glass canceled his engagement to speak at Vinton to-night in behalf of the Democratic party in order to give attention to the statement sent out from Roanoke last night by Captain Kent, the Republican candidate for Governor, in answer to Mr. Glass's charge that certain restrictions in a bill for the Virginia, and has no moral right to aspire to the position. Mr. Glass's statement is as follows:

"I have read with much care Captain Kent's defense of himself against my charge of unfitness for the office of Governor of Virginia, and I am compelled to reiterate and explain away the documentary proofs in my possession is an ill-contrived fabrication from beginning to end. Captain Kent's pretense that he is just now apprised of my repeated public declaration that he has no moral right to aspire to the office of Governor, and his assertion that the nature of the evidence upon which I base my declaration has been purposely withheld till the close of the campaign so as to afford him no opportunity to disprove himself, will not stand analysis."

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